

Application No.10/147,721
Amendment dated October 25, 2005
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foot-odor adsorbing chemicals in said lower layer and foot odor causing bacteria is neutralized while any moisture is absorbed by said bottom layer.

15. (Original) The insole of claim 14 wherein said upper layer is attached to said lower layer with an adhesive.

16. (Original) The insole of claim 14 wherein said upper layer is attached to said lower layer by sewing said layers together.

17. (Original) The insole of claim 14 wherein said lower layer has a plurality of holes communicating from said top surface to said bottom surface such that said holes contain air when no pressure is being applied to said insole and said air is force out of said holes when said insole flattens upon application of pressure, thereby circulating air around the bottom of a users foot.

REMARKS

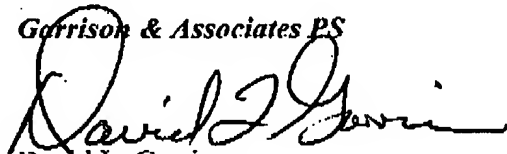
The helpful comments about the claims are gratefully acknowledged. Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 4 and claim 4 has been canceled. Claims 2-3 and 5-8, being dependent upon amended claim 1, should now be allowable. Allowed claims 9-17 remain in the application.

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It is believed that the claims, as set forth above, comply fully with the Examiner's comments and favorable action in the form of a Notice of Allowance is respectfully urged. Should the Examiner find that any matters remain for resolution, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at (206) 441-3440.

Respectfully submitted,

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